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## TELEGRAPHIC.

### CANADIAN.

#### Tax Arrears.

WINNIPEG 4.—Judgment was delivered today in the case of Governor Schmitt vs the city of Winnipeg, restraining the defendants from selling property for taxes, interest on the arrears of which had been charged. This was held to be illegal. The effect is that a large number of tax titles will be upset and much litigation will follow. The general impression is that the judgment will have the most disastrous effect, placing a premium on the non-payment of taxes which will seriously affect outside municipalities more particularly.

#### The Atlantic Mail Service.

OTTAWA, 3.—Col. McGregor, ex M.P., is here with reference to the Atlantic mail service. He represents the Fairchild shipping company, of Glasgow, builders of the Umbria, Utruria and other fast vessels. He says there would be no difficulty in building steamers to make the trip between Halifax and Liverpool in five days. The question of the Atlantic mail service is understood to be still under consideration by the council.

#### A Collision on the I. C. R.

MONTREAL, N. B., 3.—A serious collision occurred on the Intercolonial at Macan today. A special had just arrived at the station and had nearly come to a standstill, when the regular freight derailed from the opposite direction. A sharp curve hid the trains from each other. Both engines were badly wrecked and several train hands injured.

#### New Year's Day in Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, 2.—New Year's Day was a successful one in Winnipeg, it being the occasion of the eclipse of the sun, a thaw and a lacrosse match. The weather was balmy and spring like and the streets were lined with holiday seekers. The eclipse was only partial here, but was a total one at Brandon, where observations were taken.

#### Montreal Mayoralty Election.

MONTREAL, 5.—Notwithstanding the Hon. James McShane being unseated and disqualified by the court for bribery, he announces himself as a candidate for the mayoralty. As a result of this announcement leading citizens held a meeting and decided to bring out Ald. Grenier, chairman of the Finance Committee, who will be elected by a large majority.

#### The Arbitration Case.

OTTAWA, 4.—Sir John and Hon. J. H. Pope were examined before the Ouderdonk arbitration case today. Mr. Pope said the road was built with the intention of the Government operating it. Sir John said it was understood the road was to be as good as the standard of the Union Pacific.

#### The C. P. R. Land Subsidy.

OTTAWA, 4.—Mr. Hamilton, C. P. R. land commissioner, is here arranging with Hon. E. Dewdney, Minister of the Interior, for the final selection of the land subsidy. The C. P. R. lands referred to, comprise ten million acres, chiefly in the Northwest.

#### The Toronto Malpractice Case.

TORONTO, 4.—The inquest touching on the death of Lydia Charlton, the victim of malpractice, was concluded this evening with a verdict that Dr. Valentine and Joe Wood were accessories to the death of the girl.

#### Ontario Municipal Elections.

TORONTO, 2.—The municipal nominations were made throughout Ontario yesterday. In many cases officers were elected by acclamation. In this city Mayor Clark was re-elected. In Ottawa Dr. Valade and Ald. Everett were nominated.

#### A Peculiar Affliction in Quebec.

QUEBEC, 8.—A peculiar skin disease prevails at the present time among a great number of people here. Medical experts say that about one-third of the population of Quebec are afflicted with it.

#### A New Year's Day Trip.

MONTREAL, 3.—A party of four Indians together with 21 newspaper reporters descended the Lachine Rapids in a boat yesterday. Big John performed the same feat on New Year's day eleven years ago.

#### Sir John and Mowat.

TORONTO, 5.—The Board of Trade, had their second annual dinner tonight in the Pavilion of the Horticultural Gardens. Among the distinguished persons present were the Governor General and Lady Stanley, Sir John Macdonald, Hon. Oliver Mowat and others. The speeches of Sir John, Mowat and Hon. Geo. Foster rang with patriotism, but on political questions were generally non-committal. Sir John and Mowat, however, found occasion to refer to the movement in favor of annexation and had no hesitation in expressing confidence that neither the parliament nor people would be found in favor of the movement.

#### Horse Breeders Meet.

TORONTO, Dec. 30.—Breeders of blooded horses assembled in this city today at the annual meeting of the Dominion Clydesdale Horse Association. David McGee, of Guelph, in the chair. Secretary Henry Wade reported that up to date this year there had been entered for registration in the stud book 349 stallions, of which 150 were imported, and 336 mares, of which 25 were imported. This was for the year a total of 670. During the year 92 new members had been enrolled.

#### Had Small Pox on Board.

VANCOUVER, 7.—On the arrival of the steamer "Premier," this evening from Seattle, the health officer found a man named Thomas, a member of Murphy's theatre Co., suffering from small pox. The "Premier" was ordered back to quarantine at Victoria by the customs authorities.

#### Panic at a Mass Meeting.

PORT ARTHUR, 4.—During a minority mass meeting last night, the Oldfellows who were meeting over the hall, stampeded their feet in applause. The people in the mass meeting thought the roof was falling in and a regular panic ensued, several citizens being badly injured.

#### The Most Fertile in the Northwest.

OTTAWA, 5.—The major portion of the unsettled lands of the C.P.R. will probably be chosen in Buffalo Lake district between Edmonton and Calgary. This section is considered the most fertile in the Northwest.

#### Macleod Stewart Disqualified.

OTTAWA, 2.—After a year's fight in the courts Macleod Stewart, Mayor of Ottawa, is declared disqualified and ordered to pay the costs. Ald. Brown, the defeated candidate, claims the seat and the stipend, which he will divide among city charities.

#### Low Carnival Rates.

WINNIPEG, 7.—The Canadian Pacific has made a rate of twenty five dollars for the round trip to the Montreal carnival to members of the curling and snow shoe clubs. Fully two hundred are expected to go from Winnipeg.

#### To Represent the Government.

OTTAWA, 7.—Hon. Chas. Tupper has gone to Montreal to attend the Cartier Club banquet on Monday. He will respond to the toast of the Federal Government.

#### Disgraced the Cloth.

MONTREAL, 7.—Two young Catholic priests from the vicinity of Kingston created a disturbance in a house of ill-fame last night and were arrested by the police. They were under the influence of liquor.

#### Methodist Progress.

TORONTO, 4.—The Methodist Church has decided to expend six thousand five hundred dollars in purchasing property at Vancouver and Victoria for the extension of their church mission in British Columbia.

#### Provencher Election.

OTTAWA, 5.—The writ for Provencher has been issued. The nominations will take place on the 17th and polling on the 24th. Messrs. Lariviere and Richard are candidates. The former is a conservative, the latter an independent.

#### Rev. T. W. Jeffrey's Successor.

TORONTO, 5.—Rev. Hugh Johnson has been appointed to fill the place of Rev. T. W. Jeffrey, in the Western Methodist Church, until the completion of his term.

#### Sackville's Successor.

WASHINGTON, 3.—Sir Francis Plunkett is mentioned as Sackville West's probable successor.

#### Ontario Municipal Elections.

OTTAWA, 8.—The municipal elections throughout Ontario took place yesterday, and the interest in the Ottawa contest was intense, it being a race fight. Ald. Erre was elected by 500 majority. In Windsor S. J. White, the annexationist candidate, suffered defeat. In Hamilton, Mayor Doran was re-elected, in London, Mayor Geo. Taylor, in Belleville, W. Diamond, Brantford, C. Heyd, Guelph, Thos. Gowney, S. Catherine, D. H. McIntyre.

#### Fire and Explosion at Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, 8.—A fire this morning destroyed the oil shed near the C.P.R. round house. While the gang men were engaged carrying out the oil which was stored, a loud explosion occurred, which blew out the end of the building. Fireman Jackson and oilman Webb were severely injured.

#### Sullivan and Kilrain will Fight.

TORONTO, 8.—Sullivan and Kilrain met at the Ro-s-n House yesterday and signed articles for a fight for the championship of the world and \$10,000 a side. The fight will take place near New Orleans on the 8th of July.

#### Raining Down East.

MONTREAL, 8.—Rain has been falling the last two days throughout Ontario and Quebec. Telegraph connection is cut off, the streets are in a terrible slippery condition and many serious accidents are reported.

#### Didn't Know it was Loaded Probably.

WINNIPEG, 8.—George De Beaupre, a Montreal traveler, was been accidentally shot in the groin by a fellow traveler on the train east of Port Arthur. The wounded man will probably recover.

#### Jones Does not get the Indemnity.

WINNIPEG, 8.—The city council adjourned last night without voting the usual indemnity to the retiring mayor, Jones. This was owing to the mayor's continued absence from the city.

#### Mayors of Regina and Moose Jaw.

REGINA, 8.—In the Northwest municipal elections held yesterday, J. W. Smith was elected Mayor of Regina and J. F. Simpson mayor of Moose Jaw.

#### Montreal Mayoralty.

MONTREAL, 8.—Hon. Senator Abbott has declined to allow his renomination for the mayoralty. Ald. Grenier and Hon. James McShane will be the candidates.

#### Took Rough on Rats.

WINNIPEG, 5.—A man named Smith, a city hackman, attempted suicide last night by taking a dose of Rough on rats. He was caught in time to save his life.

#### Charge the Pastor with Intoxication.

TORONTO, 2.—Charges of intoxication have been made by the trustees of the Western Methodist Church, formally against Rev. T. W. Jeffrey.

#### Fell Down Dead in Church.

BATAURST, N. B., 4.—Miss Mary A. McKenna fell dead in the Roman Catholic church here yesterday. She had just taken communion.

#### The Dunkin Act.

WINNIPEG, 4.—Voting on the appeal of the Dunkin Act in Essex Centre took place yesterday. The law killing it was carried by ten majority.

#### R. H. Moody Married.

WINNIPEG, 2.—Mr. R. H. Moody, of Calgary, was married here New Year's eve to Maud, youngest daughter, of Capt. Marlon, of Winnipeg.

#### Governor General's New Year's Callers.

OTTAWA, 2.—Upwards of 600 citizens called on His Excellency, the Governor-General yesterday. Sir John and all the cabinet Ministers in the city were present.

#### A \$1,000 Package Stolen.

VERDEN, 8.—A \$1,000 package was stolen from the express office here a few days ago. There is no clue to the thief.

#### A Big Reception.

TORONTO, 3.—The Governor-General and Lady Stanley held a big reception at the Government buildings this afternoon.

#### The Arbitration Case.

OTTAWA, 2.—The C. P. R. and Government arbitration case sat all day today. Mr. Schrieber was examined.

#### Died in the Asylum.

WINNIPEG, 3.—Geo. Kerr, ex-health inspector of Winnipeg city, died in the asylum at Selkirk Monday last.

#### A Carter's Loss.

MONTREAL, 7.—The stables of Minette, a Carter, were burned last night. Eight valuable horses perished.

#### A Lucky Hotel Man.

WINNIPEG, 7.—Frank Bonneau, Brandon, has won three thousand dollars in the Louisiana Lottery.

#### Fire at Brandon.

BRANDON, 3.—A fire here last night destroyed Gilchrist's tailoring establishment. The loss is \$5,000.

#### FOREIGN.

##### News From Suakin.

SUAKIM, 3.—A Greek who has arrived here from Khartoum, says that some months ago the Mahdi's troops captured an Englishman passing through the territory of the Khababian tribe from the westward. He did not know his name. The man was said by the Mahdi's troops to be a Lord but it is believed here that he is Nephew. When the Greek left Khartoum, he received an early enquete among the Mahdi's followers as imminent.

SUAKIM, 2.—General Grenfell, at the head of the Welsh regiment, some cavalry and the Sudanese troops, made a reconnaissance four miles into the interior this morning. A few rebels on camels were seen in the distance, but they retired at the approach of General Grenfell's force. After firing up the rebel wells the force returned to Suakin.

SUAKIM, 7.—Omar Digna's principal lieutenant has deserted the Arab camp and arrived here. He represents that the Arabs are enraged at Osman, and when he left were seizing the effects of their leader's wives, because the women chewed tobacco, a practice contrary to the precepts of the Mahdi. He reports that there are 20,000 D rashes at Aandoub.

#### Enforcing the Coercion Act.

DUBLIN, 6.—The government continues a rigid enforcement of the coercion act with which it has opened the year. The penalties for infraction of the law are becoming more severe, and fresh prosecutions are being started, particularly against Irish members of parliament. The latest case is that of Thomas Condon, member for East Tipperary, upon whom four summonses have been served for offences charged to have been committed in Clonnel, of which he is town commissioner and poor law guardian.

#### Canada's Progress.

LONDON, 4.—Canadian stocks and shares are all partaking of an upward movement in the markets and Dominion. Provincial and municipal issues have all materially advanced during the week on reinvestment by British investors of the monies received on account of interest account. C. P. R. stocks have advanced; the weekly statement with a lower rate of expenses, producing a good impression. Grand Trunk Railway securities are steady. Land shares have generally risen, though those of the Canada Company are 2½ lower on the week.

#### Commercial Colonization Company.

LONDON, 3.—The directors of the Commercial Colonization Company of Manitoba propose to reconstruct the Company with a view to restrict its business to purely financial operations, taking money on credit at one rate in this country and lending it on approved security in the Northwest. With this view negotiations are now in progress with the Railway Company.

#### After the Style of Jack the Ripper.

LONDON, 5.—Wednesday at South Perchton, in Somerset, a girl ten years of age named Dany was outraged and then murdered. Her mother found the girl's body in a ditch with her head almost severed from the trunk, and the body shockingly mutilated after the style of Jack the Ripper.

#### Killed While Hunting.

LONDON, 3.—Hon. Cornelia Prittie, sister of Lord Dunallay, was killed while hunting near Nenagh, county Tipperary. She horse stumbled and she fell from the saddle. Her feet becoming entangled in the stirrups and was dragged for some distance with her head downwards.

#### France and England.

LONDON, 3.—The Pall Mall Gazette publishes an appeal to the British Government from Rev. Mr. Barby, a Methodist minister of Corne Bay, Newfoundland, for the protection of British subjects on the French shore from French oppression. He says that the people are being goaded to desperation and warns the Government of the danger of bloodshed and murder unless British rights are maintained. The appeal, together with the recent debate in the French Senate, has directed attention here to a possible acute stage of the dispute, as the French Government complying with the bitter complaints of the French merchants, is now seeking to induce England to agree to suppress the English lobster factories on the French shore. The opinion expressed here is that these disputes are hardly likely to be satisfactorily settled while Newfoundland remains isolated from the Dominion.

#### An Indian Scandal.

LONDON, 2.—A dispatch from Madras says that Lady Conemara, the wife of the Governor of Madras presidency, has left Government House, refusing to remain under the same roof with her husband. She took her leave suddenly during an official ball and went to a hotel. She is coming to England. Lady Quinn, an aide-de-camp to the Governor, and Lady Eva Quinn left the House at the same time, the captain resigning his office. Madras society, which is much excited over the scandal, is in sympathy with Lady Conemara.

#### To Resist Eviction.

DUBLIN, 2.—Preparatory to offering resistance to the evictions which are to be begun in the Swoonor's district tomorrow, the peasants in the district of Dunlough and Falcarragh, County Donegal, have armed themselves, fortified their houses, destroyed highway bridges and blocked the roads in all directions. The troops and the police are on their way to the scene of the proposed evictions.

#### New Year's Honors.

LONDON, 3.—Chief Justice Allan, of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, has been knighted. Trutch, late of British Columbia, has been appointed K. C. M. G. and Col. Oliver, late commander of Kingston Military College, C. M. G.

#### The Defence of English Ports.

LONDON, 5.—Lord Salisbury was today waited upon by a deputation headed by Lord Armstrong, who called to urge the adoption by the government of a comprehensive scheme for the defence of England's mercantile ports.

#### Serious Eviction Riots.

DUBLIN, 5.—Thirteen persons were arrested during the Talcarragh evictions. It was solely owing to the priests that bloodshed was prevented. A dozen policemen and bailiffs were injured.

#### The Governor General's Son Married.

LONDON, 6.—The marriage of Hon. Edmund Stanley, son of the Governor General of Canada, to Lady Alice Montagu, daughter of the Duke of Manchester, was solemnized in the Guard's chapel yesterday.

#### Another Plenipotentiary Coming.

LONDON, 7.—Sir George Bader Powell, M. F. for Liverpool, shortly proceeds to Ottawa and Washington as plenipotentiary of the British Government in the fisheries question.

#### The Czarina Sick.

LONDON, 4.—Ever since the wrecking of the Czar's train at Borki, the Czarina has suffered from mental depression which has increased to a point causing the utmost anxiety for her health.

#### Arrested for Resisting Arrest.

LONDON, 3.—Ten persons, including Father MacFadden, have been arrested for resisting an eviction from the Oliphert estate, County Donegal.

#### The Prince of Wales.

LONDON, 3.—The Prince of Wales goes to Cannes the second week in February and will remain in the Riviera four months.

#### Fatal Collision in a Fog.

LONDON, 2.—During a dense fog in this city, Monday, a railway collision occurred at Loughboro Junction. Thirty persons were killed.



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pany with power to construct a railway from  
some point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at  
Swift Current or convenient thereto and thence  
in a general north westerly direction, crossing  
the North Saskatchewan River at or near Ed-  
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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN the goods of EDWIN JOHN WINTERBOT-  
TOM, late of St. George's, Fish Creek, in the  
district of Alberta, in the Northwest Territories  
of Canada, deceased. Notice is hereby given  
pursuant to the Imperial Statute 22 and 23 Vic-  
toria, cap 35, that all persons claiming to be  
creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims on  
demands upon or affecting the estate of the said  
Edwin John Winterbottom, deceased, who died on  
or about the 22nd day of October, 1884, are  
hereby required on or before the 25th day of  
January next, to send particulars whereof in  
writing to the undersigned Advocate for Mrs.  
Rose Winterbottom, of St. George's afore-  
said, the widow, and sole Executrix named in  
the will of the said deceased, and to whom Pro-  
bate was granted on the 16th day of November  
1888, by the Supreme Court of the Northwest  
Territories of Canada, at Calgary, in the North-  
western Judicial District. And notice is hereby given  
that after the 25th day of January next, the  
assets of the said deceased will be distributed  
having regard to the claims then notified.  
Dated this 22nd day of Nov. 1888. 13-15  
A. L. BERNARD,  
Advocate for the said Executrix,  
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pany to be styled "The Calgary, Alberta and  
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the Northwest Territories of Canada, in a south-  
westerly direction to the international boundary line  
between the Dominion of Canada and the United  
States of America, at a point in the said boundary  
line between the Rocky Mountains and the  
Eastern boundary of the Dominion of Alberta with  
the usual powers to build a telegraph or tele-  
phone line or both, in connection therewith, and  
all necessary bridges, and to take the required  
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other necessities, and to acquire lands or other  
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or Municipality Corporation or person to assist  
in the construction of the said railway, and to  
make traffic and other arrangements with other  
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ROBERT J. CHAMBERS,  
Editor and Manager.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1920.

## PROTECTION FOR THE STOCKMEN

The Macleod Gazette has at last discovered through some correspondence from Calgary published in the Winnipeg Morning Call that, thanks to the efforts of some of the leading stockmen in this district, the government has offered to turn over a man or two of the police force to the special duty of inspecting brands and generally to assist in putting a stop to the practice of tampering with stock brands which has undoubtedly prevailed to more or less extent. Our contemporary has done something else besides making this discovery. It has come out squarely against such action on the part of the government, evidently assuming that the stock interests have no right to look for protection to the Mounted Police. The Gazette says:—

"We doubt if the Government will establish any such very bad precedent as converting part of the Mounted Police force into stock detectives. The government must not be misled into the belief that the proposed Calgary association will be anything more than a mere local association. It must also bear in mind that there will be a Macleod Association, quite as representative of the stock industry, if not much more so, than the Calgary organization, and that, if mounted policemen are to be turned over as assistant branders there, the stockmen here will have an equal right to the same privilege."

"We fancy that the government will contend that they have done quite enough in the way of special protection for the Alberta leaseholders, and will not be inclined to provide them with men to assist in carrying on their business. The mounted police are here to protect everyone in the country, stockmen the same as others, but not one particular industry more than any other. When it comes to the question of stock detective business, the government will probably say, let your stock association bear the expense of this, the same way that the stock associations in the states do. The people of Canada would scarcely consent to their Northwest police being used as a means of keeping settlers off the fertile lands of this country."

Our contemporary need have no doubts as to the government's intentions in this matter, as instructions have been given that a non-commissioned officer shall be turned over to this duty at once. It might perhaps be as well to explain that one of the principal duties of this man will be to inspect the brands on all cattle shipped from Calgary, a most important function. The question of the government's intentions being settled, let us see if it is such a very bad precedent as our contemporary assumes, this "converting" part of the police force into stock detectives."

What is there bad about it? The Gazette explains that it objects to this course being taken, because it considers it an indication of a policy favouring one particular class of the community, the stockmen, at the expense of the rest of the population. A more erroneous idea could scarcely be conceived. This action of the government is simply a first step towards affording stockmen a little of that police protection, which all other classes of the community have always enjoyed in the Northwest, but which stockmen have had to get along without. If any class have a right to complain, it is the stockmen. The police have, it is true, always responded with characteristic alacrity to calls for assistance by stockmen, but never the less, the stockmen have had to do most of their own police work. The explanation is simple. It takes men with considerable experience among stock to understand matters connected with brands and range practices and the ordinary policeman would be of little use for lack of technical knowledge, detecting cases of tampering with brands etc. Tampering with a brand, or shipping cattle bearing other stockmen's brands to the east is as clearly stealing as it would be to sell the first horse you chance to meet with in the street. As the police force is maintained for the purpose of suppressing crime, why should not their operations cover breaches of the law among stockmen as well as among other classes. The stockmen, representing the largest investments and principal industry of

the country are deserving of every protection and it is expected that the government realizes this and every right-minded person not actuated by prejudice against the ranch industry must admit that the government is but doing common justice to the ranchmen in attempting to furnish them all the protection in their power. Every class of the community is certainly entitled to this.

## THE NEW COUNCIL

The people of Calgary have good reason to congratulate themselves upon the sensible, practical result of Monday's municipal nominations. When the electors of the town can unite and return a full council by acclamation, it must be recognized by the outside world that Calgarians can sink party differences when the welfare of the community is at stake. This proof of union in the public interest is also welcome as indicating that we have reached that stage in our career when our citizens can bring themselves to forget past differences and rise superior to those bitter factional prejudices, which have prevailed in the past, greatly to the disadvantage of the town. Then the town must congratulate itself on having secured a very strong council. Mr. Marsh promises to make a splendid mayor. He has business tact and experience, is popular and has plenty of time to devote to the duties of his new public office. While the Herald opposed Mr. Murdoch's candidature, for the majority it cheerfully acknowledges that the town can confidently expect excellent service from him as a councillor. He has had a great deal of valuable experience and is energetic. Mr. Geo. C. King is another councillor of whom, by reason of his public experience and business ability, the people have reason to expect good service. Mr. Orr is the only member of the retiring council returned. He has worked like a Trojan during the fiscal year just ending and he well deserved the honor of re-election. Mr. Grant is another hustler, and a shrewd businessman and has had experience in a former council. It is a little singular and, it must be added, fortunate also, that all of the former councils in Calgary are represented in the new board. Mr. Murdoch and Mr. Grant represent the council of '85, Mr. King represents the council of '86, Mr. King represents the council of 1886-7 and Mr. Orr the council of 88. Messrs. Fitzgerald and Hannerman are new men in the council, and to judge from their untiring efforts as officers of the Agricultural Society, they will do good work for the town.

Altogether there is every reason to regard the new council with confidence, and the citizens, we believe, can confidently expect a successful administration of the municipality during the ensuing twelve months.

The councillors should remember that by giving them the honor of election by acclamation, the citizens have very much strengthened their hands and they will have no excuse for falling short of the things expected of them.

## MAYOR SHELTON.

In a few days the term of office of Mr. Arthur E. Shelton as Mayor of Calgary will expire, and he will retire for the time being to the comparative seclusion of private life. Now that the hurly-burly of his term of office is about over, expressions of approval of his performance of the duties appertaining to the position of mayor are generally heard. Even those who at different times have taken exception to his action on certain matters of detail, are heard expressing their admiration of the mayor's conduct as the town's chief magistrate. That such is the case, must be gratifying alike to Mr. Shelton and to those who like to see some recognition of public services faithfully performed. Mr. Shelton is not without his failings, but he was undoubtedly a good mayor. Indefatigable in the discharge of his public duties, he exercised a general supervision over the different departments of the municipality and responded with alacrity and the best good nature to the numerous calls made upon him. He recognized his duties to the public as having a prior claim as compared with his private affairs and personal convenience, and he undoubtedly to a considerable extent, sacrificed his private business to his public duties. No one ever applied to him for advice or information without being courteously received, and his assistance could always be depended upon in any work, other than municipal, calculated to be of benefit to the town. He was always available to fill the chair at public meetings, and perform the duties well, and his hearty co-operation and energetic assistance could always be counted upon by the numerous citizen's committees appointed for various purposes during the year.

Stangers in the town always found Mr. Shelton a courteous guest, anxious to do his utmost to make their sojourn in our midst agreeable, and prepared to go to any trouble to give them the utmost favorable impression possible of our town. In short, Mr. Shelton has been a devoted, energetic and public spirited mayor, and the citizens owe him a debt of gratitude, which it appears should be recognized in some way. A suggestion has been made that the citizens should tender a dinner to the retiring mayor. The idea is a good one and steps should be taken at once to carry it out.

## OVERPRODUCTION ACROSS THE LINE

It is to be hoped that those who are expressing themselves so enthusiastically in favor of crowding the ranges of Alberta full of cattle at any cost are learning a lesson from a state of affairs which has been found to exist in the United States. There the cry, like that of those who wish to put the overcrowding evil to defiance in Alberta, has been "Crowd as many cattle on the ranges as it is possible to place upon them!" A result which speedily developed itself was the eating out of whole regions of the best grazing land in the country. And now it has been proven by statistics and by the unanswerable logic of a gorged market that the country has too many cattle for its own good: that there are more cattle than can be profitably marketed, and that the rancher is unable to secure a paying price for his stock. The North-western Live Stock Journal, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, hits off the state of affairs in this way:—"The increase of population in the United States is figured at three per cent a year. The east has kept up in its cattle production with the increase of population so as to leave the equilibrium undisturbed. The west has gained twenty one per cent, leaving, after deducting for the increase of population, an increase of eighteen per cent to the cattle output. The natural result of so large an increase of the market offerings is a reduction in values. The people had all and more than they wanted in 1887. In 1888 the offerings are increased eighteen per cent without any increased demand on the part of the people. How is it possible to avoid the conclusion that values would be necessarily forced down?"

"Whether the cattle on a thousand hills are actually growing less in numbers or not, the fact remains that the markets of the country are receiving more and more each year, and the problem to be solved by the cattle grower is how to reduce his herds in number and increase them in quality. Fewer and better cattle should be the watch-word."

While the Western United States stock interest is thus suffering from overproduction why should we urge upon the Dominion Government to give the American rancher the privilege of sending his surplus stock to Alberta to glut our home markets as they have glutted their own, and out us off from our live stock trade with Great Britain into the bargain?

## THOSE CANCELLED LEASES

Several of our eastern contemporaries, and one or two of our Territorial papers as well, fall into the error of supposing that the action of the Government in cancelling a number of grazing leases a few days ago, indicates a disposition on the part of the Government to do away with the lease system altogether. Nothing could be further from the truth. The Government has always recognized the great importance of the stock industry, and still realizes the desirability of encouraging it. It does not necessarily follow that no more leases will be granted. Neither must it be supposed because the leases of the cancelled lease failed to comply with the conditions of the lease, that the stock industry in Alberta is in an unsatisfactory state. A large number of the leases just cancelled were applied for immediately before that severe cold winter, which was so disastrous to the cattle industry from the Gulf of Mexico to the Bow River, less in Alberta, however, than in the American territories. Owing to this setback, many hesitated; in fact determined not to carry out the conditions of their leases. The Minister of the Interior thought it best in the interests of the country and the stock interest itself, to recommend to council the cancellation of all of these leases, and there are none in this country but will admit that the occasion called for just such action. It must not be supposed as some do, that these leases were cancelled simply for the purpose of throwing open the land to settlement. We understand that if there are any of the old leases whose leases have been

cancelled who are willing to pay up their rents, that the Minister of the Interior would not object to reconsidering their cases. The Government has got faith in the Alberta stock interest and there is no fear of its being disappointed.

## WANTED A MUSICAL SOCIETY

A correspondent of the Herald suggests the establishment of some sort of a musical society or choral club. This gentleman remarks in his communication, and very truly, "We have undoubtedly considerable musical talent in Calgary; but it is going to waste. In our church choirs alone there is enough talent to form the nucleus of such an organization. The church choirs, however, do not include anything like all of the musical talent of the town, as a matter of fact only a small portion of it."

Our correspondent in explaining the advantages to be derived from such an organization writes: "First, the amateur musicians themselves would be benefited, for the society would afford them the means of musical improvement; then the general public would have the advantage of enjoying an occasional first rate concert, an important consideration, considering the small number of entertainments taking place in Calgary."

The Herald cannot but agree with its correspondent as to the great advantage such an organization as he suggests would be to lovers of music in Calgary. Considering the size of the town and the general standard of its population, it appears surprising that some such society as that suggested has not been established already, but it is not too late to begin now. If some of the leading musical people of the town would take the matter up, there is very little doubt but that a choral society would be a great success. Practically no expense need fall upon the members, for a couple of concerts a year would undoubtedly prove profitable to the society, and provide delightful entertainment for the general public. The suggestion is well worth considering at any rate.

## THE GOVERNOR'S SALARY

It is to be hoped that there is a good foundation for the report that the salary of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Territories is to be increased. The duties of this position are certainly deserving the same remuneration as is received by the governors of the provinces. There is no comparison between the duties. While the Lieutenant-Governorship of one of the older provinces is almost a sinecure, the occupant of the position being more of a figure head than anything else, the Lieut. Governor of the Territories has exacting duties to perform, and a vast amount of responsibility. In fact our Governor has about the same responsibility and work as the Governor and Premier of any of the other provinces divide between them.

## DAVIN AND BURROWS

There is a pretty little fight waging just now between Mr. N. E. Davin, M.P., Editor of the Regina Leader, and Mr. Acton Burrows, Editor of the Winnipeg Call. Each gentleman has been attempting to show that the other uses his paper and position for selfish purposes and the Leader now comes out and characterizes Mr. Burrows as brazen-faced. As there is something else in his paper besides high flown praises of its editor, Mr. Burrows easily has the best of it, when the argument is narrowed to this line. Mr. Davin uses his paper for nothing else but self-praise and an editor to do that must be pretty brazen faced. Mr. Davin is a talented man in his way, but he is surely ruining his future by his irrepressible egotism.

## STOCK.

### Can Afford to run no Risks.

"An instance of the care Canada exercises over her live stock has just been furnished by an act of the Dominion Government. Montana ranchmen have, as we know, long had their eye upon the fertile pastures of Alberta. Some of them have moved their herds to Canadian territory, and a short time back they set on foot an agitation for the removal of the ninety days' quarantine on American cattle entering the Canadian Northwest. Ottawa advices show that the Dominion Government has wisely refused the request. To remove the quarantine would unquestionably tend to imperil the absolute immunity of Canadian herds from disease; and to do that would be to strike a fatal blow at one of Canada's most important and promising industries. The trade has now grown to such dimensions that Canada can afford to run no risks."—London, (England,) Canadian Gazette.

### Sheep Shearing in England.

"Jackson's Brigg Annual" for 1885 contains the following interesting and very

curious method of counting sheep used in this country many years ago. Niss Athinson, of Brigg, has furnished the publishers with the paragraph, and would, through them be glad to know if there are still any of the "old inhabitants" who recollect the mode of counting, and whether it is correctly given:—"Sheep Scoring numerals in Lancashire.—This scoring was daily used by an old shepherd at Winteringham in the beginning of the present century. The words were uttered very rapidly, and a slight pause was made at every fifth number. It was undoubtedly the ancient British numerals which the man used, and it was in this way his forefathers had counted their flocks through centuries. Yarn, 1; Tan, 2; Tethra, 3; Pethra, 4; Pimp, 5; Tethra, 6; Lethra, 7; Hovra, 8; Clevra, 9; Dik, 10; Yan-adik, 11; Tan-adik, 12; Tethra-dik, 13; Pethra-dik, 14; Bounit, 15; Tethra-bounit, 16; Lethra-bounit, 17; Hovra-bounit, 18; Clevra-bounit, 19; Jint, 20." [Some of these numerals are Anglo-Danish, corrupted by Anglo-Norman, and not, as is generally supposed, Ancient British.—Ed.]

### Old and Young Meat.

Exchange.

A writer in the Indiana Farmer says that the meat from an old cow that has been rapidly brought up from a thin condition is not so tough as that from a four year old steer that has been kept fat all his life. The reason is that the meat of the old cow is young if the cow is old. There is much apparent reason in this, but still there is a ludicrous side to it. It reminds one of the newly arrived Irishman who gnawed all the corn from a boiled ear and then passed it back to the waiter with the request: "Please put some more beans upon me stick." If fattening an old cow in six months will make two year old beef, how quickly must she be fattened to make veal? Before this discovery makes any great revolution in the beef business, it must be shown that facts agree with theory, and that beef can be put on to an old rundo-n cow economically. With such animals there is usually a long period in which the food makes but little impression upon the flesh of the animal, while she is getting started, and the best way to get over this is to give her a summer at grass after stopping the flow of milk; and if, after paying \$8 for pasture and \$20 for meat and roots, the meat be found to be better and more cheaply produced than it could be on a young animal, there may be a good demand for cow frames to make heavier beef on. But is there any proof that the same amount of flesh put on to a young animal in the same time and at less expense would not be just as "young" and tender?

### The Montana Horse Disease.

The horse disease which created such havoc among a few herds on this and other valleys of the territory a little more a year ago is awakening new interest. There is no serious outbreak such as existed then, yet isolated cases are said to be frequent. A number occurring in the Yellowstone region lately has brought forth the communication published in our last issue from the U. S. veterinary surgeon stationed at Fort Keogh. We are not prepared to say that the affliction of the horses of the Yellowstone is identically the same as that which afflicted the herds in this part of the country a year ago. If so we wonder that our territorial veterinarians were not able to properly diagnose it; still such is possible. We hope Mr. Corcoran is correct in his views yet we very much doubt if he is. We do not pretend to deny that the doctor has properly diagnosed the disease under his observation, but will be skeptical about it being the same that was characterized as the unnamed or unknown horse disease until we learn further of the particulars. We are anyhow glad to know that the disease is not contagious, a fact pretty well demonstrated already, and that it may be treated—yet in the form in which the malady appeared on this valley we are fully persuaded that treatment could avail nothing. The description of the symptoms given by Mr. Corcoran is much the same of that that existed here, but it would be next to impossible to pronounce them the same, unless those who watched its course in this region could see the effect of the new outbreak.—Rocky Mountain Husbandman.

### Davisburg Ranchers Society.

The following are the rules of the Davisburg Ranchers Society:—  
The president, vice-president, treasurer and secretary shall be elected annually and the accounts shall be produced by the treasurer and auditor. The annual meeting shall be held on the Thursday before the full of the moon.

Members subscriptions shall be due annually, and shall be paid at the October meeting.

The subscription fee for membership shall be 50 cents, and shall be paid at the time of joining the Society.

At the October annual meeting it shall be decided what steps shall be taken with regard to the disposal of surplus funds, or in case of a deficiency, what measure shall be adopted to raise the necessary funds.



## TERRITORIAL.

The Medicine Hat railway has not been built. The company's charter expired with the date of December. —*Medicine Hat Times.*

There is no longer any doubt that Mr. W. S. Lee has struck it rich in petroleum. Competent judges have pronounced it true petroleum, and from all indications there are unlimited quantities of it. It is altogether probable that plenty of capital will be found to develop the wells, and the work will be commenced in the very near future. —*Medicine Hat Times.*

On Friday evening, while the stage from Calgary was crossing the Old Man River at the ferry, the ice gave way, and let the whole outfit into the water. People quickly gathered at the scene of the accident, and after a great deal of hard work, the team was rescued. The driver, Mr. Braden, very narrowly escaped being drowned. —*Medicine Hat Times.*

Mr. W. E. Cochrane, manager of the Cochrane Ranch Co., spent New Year's Day in town. He reports cattle in his section of the country as doing extremely well. When he left the ranch, the snow was only about two inches deep on the range and it is probable that most of it has disappeared since. The bounds which they have on the ranch for killing wolves and coyotes are doing splendidly. They have killed a large number of coyotes up to the present time. —*Medicine Hat Times.*

### Postmaster at Regina.

OTTAWA 3.—The appointment of Mr. Whitmore as postmaster at Regina is confirmed. Miss Mary Irving, daughter of the late postmaster, will be his assistant.

### Northwest Municipal Elections.

REGINA 2.—The municipal nomination were held on Monday throughout the Northwest. Hamilton and Smith were nominated for the majority of Regina, and there are 2 aspirants in Prince Albert for the position. F. J. Simpson was elected Mayor of Moose Jaw by acclamation.

### The Medicine Hat Shooting Case.

MEDICINE HAT, 5.—Commissioner Herchmer and Inspector Moocle, have completed the preliminary examination of Harris, who shot Burgoyne. Harris was set up for trial at the March term of the district court, for attempted murder.

### Determined Safe.

BROADVIEW 8.—Last night a man got off the west bound express, and went into the waiting room where two other men were waiting for the last train. They were all conversing quietly when McManis, who had from Cornwall, Ont., took off his coat and vest drew a revolver, and before the others could interfere, fired a bullet below the heart, penetrating the left lung and passing through his body. The cause of the rash act was disappointment. The doctors have no hope of his recovery.

### Cheer for Davin.

REGINA 3.—Tonight the largest meeting of the liberal conservative association of the Regina district, ever held, passed a strong resolution condemning the attacks made by the Winnipeg Call on Nicholas Flood Davin, M. P. for Western Assiniboia, and expressing confidence in him for his patriotic action and loyalty, not only to the party and Canada but to the Northwest. The officers of the association including the ex-mayor and other prominent citizens spoke strongly, denouncing the action of the Call which was described as the tool of a small clique. After the election of officers the meeting closed with cheers for Davin.

### Hospital at the Hat.

Asst.-Supt. Niblock and Dr. Oliver drew up the necessary papers Monday evening and started out soliciting subscriptions to be used in the erection of a general hospital at Medicine Hat. In less than an hour \$500 had been secured, and there is no question but that the required \$2,000 will be easily obtained. Everyone appreciates the necessity of such an institution, and that it will only be a few months before this town is blessed with a public hospital there can be no doubt. Messrs. Niblock and Oliver have made a wise move, and one that should promptly meet with the approval of all. —*Medicine Hat Times.*

### Attempted Murder.

MEDICINE HAT 2.—Corporal Burgoyne and Constable Harris of the Mounted Police, had a quarrel last night at the barracks. Harris followed Burgoyne to his office, called him out, and on his appearing at the door fired at him with his carbine, the bullet passing through his right arm near the shoulder. Harris had a second cartridge pumped into his weapon preparatory to firing the second time when caught by Sergt. Tucker, who heard the first shot fired and ran out in time to save Burgoyne from probably instant death, as the victim and assailant were within a few yards of each other. The wound is painful but not serious. Harris was immediately placed under arrest.

### Well Known Stock Exporter Dead.

LONDON, 2.—Simon Beattie, the well known exporter of pedigree stock to the Dominion, died today at Annan, Dumfriesshire.

how the work grows in this western country. Within seven years I have been privileged to take part in the formation of three dioceses—Athabasca, Qu'Appelle and Calgary—and to see the advance of the Church of England in her full ministry of bishops, priests and deacons, to occupy settlements on the prairie, and settle among the grandeur of those eternal hills whose snow-capped peaks have looked down for ages on a silence unbroken by the whistling of the wind. Our brother will work within sight of those lofty peaks that will help him to raise his thoughts and the thoughts of his people from nature to nature's God. As a young man he may well thank God and take courage that he is permitted to take part in the development of that western country. Under its active and wise bishop who knows the needs of the times and his practical knowledge to carry out his designs, we are looking for a great work for God in the diocese of Saskatchewan and Calgary, and our hearts are cheered by the evidences of success and growth. It is an inspiring thought to know that amid after spots occupied by herds of the cross, that as Christmas after Christmas rolls around, the message of the incarnate word will be delivered wherever the feet of men tread. Through the frosty air on the prairie, and echoing from peak to peak of those ancient mountains, the old Christmas hymns will be sung, those hymns that echo on through widest sandered lands in Christian hearts all earthly Christmas days. Grandly that Christ was song of peace and good will rises and swells by the shores of the Atlantic, it soars upward in coral song in our villages and cities, it echoes over the prairies, reverberates among the mountains and floats out over the waters of the Pacific as if to catch the ear of the heathen nations beyond. "O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord."

### Qualified for the Bar.

Under authority of a special act of the Legislative Assembly passed at the last session, Mr. T. C. West was, on Saturday, put for examination for his certificate as advocate, before a board consisting of Mr. Justice Rouleau and Mr. E. P. Davis. Mr. West passed the ordeal successfully and is now a full fledged lawyer, with all the necessary privileges, for hoodwinking juries, building recalcitrant witnesses and striking on the costs. Mr. West has studied law in Ontario, Manitoba and Alberta and consequently starts practice with the advantage of a wide knowledge of procedure. Thanks to this wide range of experience as a student as well as to his ability and energy, Mr. West can be expected to make a mark in his profession. He has the best wishes of a large circle of expectant friends, at any rate.

The admission of Mr. West to the Bar of the Northwest Territories will make an era in the educational progress of the country, as he will be the first lawyer who has studied his profession in the Northwest.

As already stated Mr. West will practice in partnership with Mr. J. B. Smith, under the title "Smith & West."

### The Public School.

The public school opened Monday morning under most auspicious circumstances. The merry laugh and ringing shout of six score and ten juveniles as they scampered along the board sidewalk leading to the school grounds and through the yard in front of the buildings this beautiful morning was a pleasant sight. The two trustees now in town, Mr. James Reilly and Mr. Henry Collins, were on hand to induct the new head master and set the wheels of learning in motion for the year 1899. Mr. J. Short, who arrived from Elora, Ont., on Saturday, took to his work in a business like manner. On account of the increasing number of pupils the trustees have added another teacher to the staff, which is now constituted as follows: Principal, Mr. J. Short; first assistant, Miss Jennie McIntyre; second assistant, Miss Minnie Wheeler; third assistant, Miss S. Cowan.

### THE EAU CLAIRE COMPANY.

Important Meeting—New Mills to be Built in the Spring.

WINNIPEG 7.—A despatch from Eau Claire, Wisconsin, says the stockholders and managers of the Eau Claire and Bow River Lumber Company, of Eau Claire and Calgary, Alberta, held a consultation here last night. It was reported that the meeting was held in consequence of the recent decision of the high Canadian courts nullifying the leases of timber lands by the Dominion Government, to American lumbermen and involving about sixty millions of dollars of America investment, but the officers of this company say they have no apprehension on account of this decision. They claim it cannot legally affect the large tracts this company has leased in the Northwest Territories and they propose to build new mills there in the spring.

disease from many farms in England.

Gentlemen, I think by the adoption of precautionary means you need not fear this disease in the future, it may cause the loss of an animal occasionally, but I think the means are in our own hands to combat this disease.

Thanking you for your indulgent attention to the foregoing remarks, I will observe that I shall be pleased to answer any questions in my power that may arise during the discussion.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

The Herald as an exponent of public opinion publishes correspondence from any of its readers so long as it is within the bounds of propriety. The paper does not, however, necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by its correspondents. Correspondence to secure insertion must be brief and to the point.

### Calgary to Europe via Hudson's Bay.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR.—The time has come when the business men of Calgary have to make up their minds as to whether they intend to make this place a great commercial centre or not. The time has come to get a road through to Helena is a good one; but it wants a supplement. The position is this: We need a market for our products, we need immigration and capital. Our only natural market is Great Britain. The United States want none of our products. It is true we have a large and growing market for farm produce in British Columbia which we can always command, but still it must be admitted that the Old Country will always take our surplus, no matter how large it may be. Now, sir, to stand in such a geographical position as that Calgary can command and control a large portion of the interior trade of this part of the continent and become a great industrial and commercial centre, if her people will only become alive to their best interests and the fitting of their pockets in a legitimate, shrewd and far seeing manner.

The primary facts in my argument are these: A railway from here to Fort Churchill on the Hudson Bay would only be 1,123 miles in length. From here to Montreal via the C. P. R. is 2,282 miles. From Montreal to Liverpool is 3,432 miles, while from Churchill to Liverpool it is very nearly the same distance, viz., 3,436 miles. A charter to build this railway would be only for the distance between Calgary and Grand Rapids the mouth of the great Saskatchewan River on Lake Winnipeg, where it would connect with the Hudson's Bay and Winnipeg Railway. The distance covered would be nearly 763 miles. I will give a few short tables of relative distances. The miles are all in statute measure.

Calgary to Ft. Churchill.....	1123
Ft. Churchill to Liverpool.....	3436
Calgary to Helena.....	355
Helena to Liverpool, via Calgary and Hudson Bay.....	4944
Calgary to Montreal C. P. R.....	2282
Montreal to Liverpool.....	3432
Calgary to Liverpool via Montreal.....	5694
Helena to Montreal via St. Paul and South St. Marie.....	2271
Montreal to Liverpool.....	3432
Helena to Liverpool via Montreal.....	5707
Helena to New York.....	2466
New York to Liverpool.....	3567
Helena to Liverpool via New York.....	6033
Calgary to Ft. Churchill.....	1123
Ft. Churchill to Liverpool.....	3436

Calgary to Liverpool via Ft. Churchill..... 4559

The above figures will give an idea of the great natural advantages which Calgary has in its position and location. Still a word of warning is needed. Medicine Hat has very nearly the same mileage advantages and she will soon be connected with Helena and the American system of railways. Unless Calgary looks out pretty lively, Medicine Hat will cut her off from the Hudson's Bay.

I remain,  
Yours truly,  
ALFRED C. ST. GEORGE KEMP, C. E.

### SECOND LETTER.

In my last letter I closed by pointing out that Medicine Hat stood as a formidable competitor against Calgary for future commercial supremacy in the Northwest. I will now point out the general advantages of the route I propose from Calgary and Helena.

1st. It goes through the heart of the ranching country and gives a short, direct and cool route to the British markets. The cooler the climate, the better for the transport of cattle, horses, meat, butter, cheese, poultry, eggs and farm and garden produce generally.

2nd. It at once places Calgary in position as a centre of competition with regard to British, American and Canadian traders and manufacturers, leaving the farmers and ranchers less at the mercy of the eastern manufacturer for what he wants to buy and giving the opportunity of "selling in the dearest and buying in the cheapest market," in a far greater degree than he can ever hope to under the present system.

3rd. It makes Calgary a great centre for meat canning and curing factories, tanneries, woolen mills, flax and hemp mills, flouring mills and all kindred manufactures. And it also makes it a distributing centre for a magnificent empire of country all round and taps the trade of the great and valuable territories of Montana, Idaho and Washington.

4th. The proposed road runs from Calgary to Grand Rapids, through as fine a country, blessed with as good a climate generally and with as good a soil as any country in any other temperate zone. It taps the navigation of the great Saskatchewan, and furnishes a base for opening up a large lumbering and mineral country.

5th. At Grand Rapids is one of the largest and most easily convertible water

powers on this continent, one too, that is open all the year round as it is never entirely frozen over. Grain carried to this point can be converted into flour during the winter months after navigation is closed on the Hudson's Bay.

6th. Navigation on the Hudson's Bay has been carried on for over 150 years by modern sailing vessels of the old class built upon the principle of an elongated wash tub; with a loss of not more than 1 per cent. Modern steam vessels not specially constructed can navigate the straits for 3 months in the year with perfect safety, while specially constructed vessels can without any danger navigate the bay and straits for at least 5 months in the year. Of course a high-house system will be needed, but then it won't need to be anything as elaborate and costly as the St. Lawrence system. I can remember when money was wanted for the St. Peter's Lake dredging, in order to make Montreal a seaport; that it was said and published that the game was not worth the candle, as Montreal harbor would not be open or at least accessible for 5 months in the year. Look at Montreal now.

7th. The sea route from Churchill to the straits is not a stormy or especially perilous one. In fact it is a calmer and smoother one generally than via Montreal and the St. Lawrence route.

8th. The proposed route furnishes a second line of defence to Canada and disposes of the threat indulged in by some American papers lately, that by seizing Winnipeg the Dominion would be out in two beyond hope of redemption.

9th. Without the opening of this route, Calgary is doomed to be nothing but a second class town. No wholesale houses, no special advantage over any other C. P. R. way station; no commercial competition; no great markets; no important manufactures.

10th. This route will cause the pouring in of a stream of British capital and immigration to the Northwest Territories such as Canada has never yet seen.

11th. It will enable Calgary to seize and hold a very large share of the trade arising from the development of the immense mineral resources of the Rocky Mountains, by becoming the entrepot for machinery and mining supplies.

In conclusion, this matter is one in which every rancher and farmer in the country, every business man in the Territories and every real estate owner, especially in Calgary, or ought to be intensely interested in. Boards of Trade, Municipalities, Stock Associations and Agricultural Societies, all ought to go in for united action and get an outlet into Hudson's Bay at the very earliest possible date.

I remain etc.,  
ALFRED C. ST. GEORGE KEMP, C. E.

### The Cemetery.

SIR.—Referring to the meeting held on Friday evening and the discussion which took place, I think it is well that the outside public should be in possession of all the facts of the case. The committee appointed to look out for a suitable site, reported on two locations, and the question, which of the two was to be adopted, being put to the meeting, the legal subdivision thirteen of section eleven was chosen by a majority of one. This resolution was moved and seconded by two gentlemen who had not taken the trouble to accompany the rest of the committee on their several tours of investigation, and who probably may never have been on the property rejected. I have the authority of the most competent judges that there are only twenty-five acres useful for cemetery purposes on the site chosen, whereas the other site contains eighty acres, very nearly the whole of which is well adapted for the purpose, which may be I believe as easily obtained in exchange for the present cemetery, and which is equidistant with the other. Your insertion of this will oblige,  
ONE WHO VISITED BOTH GROUNDS.

### AN IMPRESSIVE SERVICE.

The Ordination of Rev. H. B. Collier.

The Winnipeg Free Press of the 31st ult., publishes the following description of the ordination of Rev. H. B. Collier, the new curate of the Anglican parish:—"There were a number of services yesterday in Christ church. In addition to the regular services, the Rev. Mr. Pentreath had a baptism, a churching and a burial. At 11 a. m. Mr. H. B. Collier was ordained deacon by the Rt. Rev. Dr. Pinkham, bishop of Saskatchewan and Calgary. The service was impressively rendered. His Lordship took the litany and communion service and read the special lesson. The candidate was presented by the rector who preached. At the close of the sermon, after addressing the candidate, Mr. Pentreath said: "Our brother who is ordained deacon today is to work in the diocese of Calgary. In 1887 on a memorable day, just 100 years from the consecration of Chas. Inglis, first bishop of Nova Scotia, and first colonial bishop, in our Provincial Synod held at Winnipeg, composed of representatives from the ecclesiastical provinces of Rupert's Land, the district of Alberta was separated from Saskatchewan, and created a separate diocese of Calgary, and placed under the jurisdiction of the bishop of Saskatchewan, who is bishop of the united diocese until such time as an endowment fund can be raised for a bishop of Calgary, when he resigns one of the sees, and an appointment is made to the other. It is marve-

Meetings of the Society shall be held during the winter months, from October to April inclusive, such meetings to be held twice in each month, at such hours and days as the members shall deem the most convenient. 1st Thursday and 3rd Thursday at 7 o'clock.

The members of the Society shall have the power to veto the membership of any person who shall render himself objectionable, such veto to be decided by the vote of the majority of the members present at the meeting when such question shall be put. Notice shall be given from the chair by the president or vice-president to the meeting of such person becoming objectionable, and not less than twenty days shall elapse before the vote shall be taken on such member. The vote shall be by ballot.

Dated this day of October, 1888.

### DAVISBURG RANCHERS SOCIETY.

Paper Read Before the Members of the Society by the President, Mr. A. E. Bannister, M. R. C. V. S. E., Dec. 10th, 1888.

GENTLEMEN.—The subject which I promised you at the last meeting to bring before you was the disease in cattle known by the various names, Blackleg, Quarter evil, Struck, Gangrenous fever and Anthrax. The Pathological name of the disease is Hematospis. This is a truly blood disease, the blood is in a decomposed state. Young cattle under two years of age are the most subject to it, affecting those generally between the ages of six and eighteen months. Well bred animals are more prone to this disease than low or cross-bred animals. Sex also influences the susceptibility, as the entire animal is seldom attacked. Animals most frequently affected are in good condition, but any animal that is poor, but is rapidly increasing in flesh, is very liable to the disease when subjected to predisposing causes, such as change to nutritious diet on land prone to the disease. Some land and some farms and localities are very given to this disease, and every year the farmer has to take precautions against it. It is not an infectious or contagious disease, but the blood becomes very rapidly decomposed and the bodies quickly become putrid, it is therefore wise to quickly bury them, or if the ground is frozen to burn them. If the disease were contagious, age would give no protection to the animal. All fatal contagious diseases in England are brought under the contagious diseases "Animal" Act; but Blackleg is not included. I have held the office of Government Inspector for over twenty years, and have never once heard it suggested that this disease is infectious, and I have had considerable experience with the disease and my experience leads me to concur with veterinary authors, that it is not infectious.

I think the causes of the recent outbreak in this part is due to the much more highly nutritive condition of the grass this year, than in former years, as the grass has been well fed down in sloughs and the young quick grass that has constantly sprung up this summer has been much more nutritious than the older grass of former and dryer years. If my surmise is a correct one, we shall find it more prevalent in future years as the country becomes closer fed and the grass becomes richer in quality. If so, we must adopt preventative measures.

The symptoms are principally: The animal shows lameness in one of its legs; drags the limb, and upon examination it is much swollen, at other times the disease locates itself in the loins, but it quickly spreads and the animal is very ill, the breathing is much disturbed, labored and moaning. If animal breathes very quickly and moans each time, it will speedily die, it loathes food and walks with a staggering gait, from impure blood to the brain, it is liable to fall, and seldom rises again. Prostration is very great. Treatment I do not go very much on curing animals that are affected, but cases have recovered. If I saw a case before decomposition of the blood had set in, I would at once bleed it boldly, it is of no use after the swellings crepeate on percussion, I would then give a strong purgative of clove and oil with half a pint of whiskey or spirits of Ether and scarcely or lance deeply into the swellings and even the parts surrounding the swelling, and then rub into the cuts a strong solution of salt peter or salt, (but give no salts internally), should animal live 24 hours, you must support it with gruel, stimulants and tonics.

Preventatives are our safeguards, as soon as you find an animal affected, look after the well ones, put a season into the dewlap of all the other calves and yearlings, and give each a dose of purgative medicine, remove them at once from the feed they are on and make as great a change in their diet as you can. Contagion you need not fear, but you must remember that all your young stock have been exposed to the same exciting causes, therefore all are alike liable to become affected, and as the disease runs its course in so short a time, it is wise to take precautions without delay. Drainage has caused the disappearance of this



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Wm. Bell, V.S., Clerk of the Ranch.  
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## THE WEEK'S LOCAL NEWS

Wednesday.

Rev. H. B. Collier, the newly ordained curate of the Anglican parish, arrived this morning and will enter upon his duties at once.

Mr. T. C. West, who for some months has occupied a position in Messrs. Loughheed & McCarthy's office, has entered into partnership with Mr. T. B. Smith. The new firm will be known by the style of Smith and West.

In reply to the question put by a HERRALD reporter after sun down, to a gentleman who has travelled largely, as to what he "bought of the weather," "Well," he said, "I never saw such fine weather on New Year's day in any part of the world."

The new mayor and council elected by acclamation on Monday, were honored by a call from our fine town band. They called first on His Worship D. W. March, and then on the other members afterwards discoursing sweet music, as an augury of a harmonious municipal year.

A prairie fire was raging on Thursday between the Peace and Bear hills on the Calgary trail. J. Lee had two wagons burned and W. McDonald's trading post was only saved after great exertions. The fire was still running at last accounts. —Edmonton Bulletin, December 22.

The HERRALD owes a sincere apology to its readers for its late delivery Monday night. The large news press on which the paper is published got out of order, and it was only yesterday that it could be got into order. Monday's issue was only got off by a most laborious process.

A HERRALD reporter walking up street on New Year's eve, had his attention attracted by the brilliant display of gold watch and other fine jewelry in one of the shop windows, leaning over intently looking at the splendid show, he was accosted by a friend tapping him on the shoulder and warning him the compliments of the season. Hello, said the reporter what are you doing in San Francisco? thinking for the moment that he was looking into the window of the big jewelry shop on Montgomery street.

Thursday.

The Canadian Pacific Colonization Corporation has applied for a branch of the Bank of Montreal at Quesnottown.

Two carloads of Chinamen arrived at Banff from the Coast this morning to work in the coal mines at that place.

Corp. Heap, who comes from Calgary to take a place on the staff of the Mounted Police hospital force, arrived by the stage on Wednesday. —Bathurst Herald, Dec. 22.

Mr. Charles B. Halpin, an old Calgarian, and now manager of the "Mountain Echo," Banff, is in town and gave us a fraternal call. Mr. Halpin reports that there has been a great many social gatherings and a pleasant time generally in the National Park.

The addition to the C. P. R. platform at the passenger station has been finished. The whole platform is now about 320 feet long by 16 feet wide. This will afford room for passengers alighting from the sleepers to step on a good platform instead of down into the mud as in the past. The company are also adding three lamps for lighting the platform, which will be a great boon.

Mr. J. M. Harper leaves town tomorrow morning for Lethbridge to take a responsible position in the I. G. Baker & Coy's establishment at that place. Since coming here Mr. Harper has been one of the most popular young men in the town. Universally liked, an amateur musician of taste, and an enthusiastic church worker, his departure will be regretted in many circles, although his friends naturally rejoice in his business advancement and wish him all prosperity in his new position.

The way of the Chinook winds are past finding out. Yesterday was a bright crisp winter day, with good sleighing at Banff 80 miles west of Calgary. At Calgary it was bright and beautiful, the mercury being 44 above zero, with just enough wind to stir the dry dust on the streets a little. At High River, 30 miles south of Calgary, a Chinook wind which had leaped over Banff and Calgary, descended with its summer breath, swept what little snow there was away, raised the ice on the river some 18 inches and introduced a summer state of things generally.

Friday.

Rev. H. B. Collier will conduct Divine service on Sunday at Springbank.

The public school reopens after the Christmas vacation on Monday next.

Mr. J. M. Harper, late with Messrs. Rankin & Allan, left for Lethbridge by this morning's express for the East.

The preparations for the new public buildings are finished and the masonry work of the foundations will be begun in a day or two.

Recruiting for the mounted police will commence in the Eastern Provinces next March and April, when about 100 vacancies occur in the force.

It was Jacques' jewelry shop window that our reporter was looking into on New Year's eve, when he got bewildered and thought he was in San Francisco, as described in yesterday's HERRALD.

The man Wm. Cuzens, who has been charged with stealing some Buffalo robes from Dr. J. D. Lafferty, was brought into town from the country by the N. W. M. P. last night and tried before Captain McIlree this afternoon and was sent up for trial.

A meeting of the Calgary Institute under the presidency of Mayor Shelton, will be held in the council chamber at 8 o'clock this Friday evening. The special object of the meeting is to receive a report from the committee appointed to look after a suitable hall for the use of the Institute. All persons who have been enrolled as members or wish to become members, and all who take any interest in the institution are requested to attend.

No 2 express from the Pacific Coast was a couple of hours behind time this morning. Attached to the train was the Intercolonial car, Metapedia, in which Lord Bunsmore was travelling. Lord Bunsmore is the son of the Earl of Galloway. We noted some days ago that his Lordship was very ill at Victoria, B. C., he has so far recovered as to be able to start on his way home to England.

Saturday.

Mrs. Leugo, of Winnipeg, mother of the late Mrs. Dundas, arrived this morning by No. 1 express.

Town constable Barker has been confined to his house for two or three days, and constable Hugh McLellan has been doing duty in his place.

Mr. A. Ferland has returned from his business visit to the firm of A. Ferland & Co at Lethbridge. He reports business good and merchandise going off rapidly at that town.

Mr. J. Short, the new head teacher engaged for the Calgary public school, arrived from Elora this morning, and is registered at the Royal Hotel. The school opens on Monday morning.

Messrs. Lafferty & Moore, of Calgary, are in town at present looking up premises to open a private bank here. They will be in a position in a few days to begin business. This firm have branches in various towns in the Northwest, and, we understand, are in a good financial position. —Lethbridge News.

Dr. Allen M. Lafferty, of Dakota, brother of Dr. J. D. Lafferty, of Calgary, arrived here on Friday morning last accompanied by his brother and Mr. Moore from Calgary. Dr. A. M. has decided to locate here and left Saturday afternoon for Calgary to bring his effects down. We wish him success. —Lethbridge News.

In going around yesterday for noon, our reporter noticed a couple of little girls 7 and 9 years old, lying cozily on a strip of carpet in front of their place of residence with their dolls lying between them. In reply to the question as to what they were doing, one of them replied, we are just taking a sun bath, in the east where we came from, there never is a chance of taking a sun bath like this in January.

Monday

Miss Egan, of Scarborough, England, is amongst the late arrivals at the Royal Hotel.

Mr. Samuel Parrish, who has been away for a couple of months on a trip through California and British Columbia, returned home Sunday morning.

The race between Green and the unknown runner, postponed from New Year's day takes place at the Star rink tomorrow evening. Green skates a mile and a half against the runner's mile.

Mr. F. J. Claxton has completed arrangements with the Mounted Police band to furnish the music at the Star rink for the remainder of the season. This band plays for the first time tomorrow evening.

Town constable Barker is still very ill, so much so that a nurse is in attendance on him night and day. The Alberta lodge of I. O. O. F., of which Mr. Barker is a member, are looking closely after his welfare.

Tuesday.

As a token of their esteem, the children of her class in Knox Church Sunday School, presented Miss Walker with an address and testimonial upon the occasion of her marriage.

At Knox Church on Sunday Messrs. John Creighton and Alex McBride were ordained to the eldership and added to the church session.

The annual meeting of the Liberal Conservative Association will be held in the old Town Hall instead of the Odd-fellow's Hall, as originally advertised.

Calgary Institute.

A meeting of the members of the new association organized for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a public library in Calgary, was held at the Fire Hall last evening, Mayor Shelton in the chair. Considerable business was done. A committee was appointed to rent suit-

able quarters and to purchase such furniture as would enable the society to hold its next meeting in its own quarters.

Several new names of persons willing to become members were handed in, the membership now amounting to one hundred.

The following were appointed a committee on the purchase and selection of literature: — Revs. A. W. F. Cooper, J. C. Herdman, Father Blais, Messrs. E. J. Chambers, I. S. Frazz, W. Baillie and W. L. Bernard.

On Motion of Mr. Chambers, it was unanimously decided to change the name of the association from "The Mechanics' Institute" to "The Calgary Institute," the object being to give the institution the widest scope possible.

Several matters of detail were arranged before adjourning.

New Year's Day.

It was a quiet New Year's Day in Calgary, remarkable chiefly for the splendid weather all day and the eclipse in the afternoon. The eclipse of the sun was very distinct, being very nearly a total eclipse, there being about as much of the sun visible, as one promising youngster said, as would make a new moon. Everybody turned out to gaze at the phenomenon through smoked and colored glass. There was, according to all reports, considerable gazing through other kinds of glasses during the day; but the observers were looking for something more exhilarating than an eclipse. Reliable authorities report the number of New Year's callers as larger than usual. There were but very few ladies who did not receive. The usual watchnight service at the Methodist Church was well attended and the service was, altogether, very impressive.

Christmas Treat.

The Church of England Christmas treat for the children of the Sunday School was held in the Opera House on Monday evening. Two trees were beautifully trimmed and laden with presents, besides a third one which appeared to be designed to give the elder boys a scramble, as most of the gifts were amusing shams. Refreshments were served at six, which allowed the children plenty of time to play. The elder people turned out in good numbers and certainly must have enjoyed themselves watching the merriment of the children.

Week of prayer.

The week of prayer held under the auspices of the Calgary Evangelical Alliance begins tomorrow when an exchange of pulpits takes place in the evening between the Methodist and Knox Churches. The first prayer meeting of the series will be held in the Methodist Church after the service tomorrow evening. Similar meetings will be held during the week as follows: — Monday, Wednesday and Friday at Knox Church and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at the Methodist Church.

The New West.

The long promised publication, "The New West" is at last out. Mr. E. E. Boyer, of the Canadian Historical Publishing Company, is in town distributing copies among the subscribers, and he has furnished the HERRALD with a copy. The book is by long odds the best work on the new Western Provinces of Canada yet issued. The illustrations are numerous and of a very superior kind. In addition to the illustrations of Manitoba, Northwest and British Columbia, the book contains a page of fine photographs of the Governor General of the Dominion and the Lieutenant Governors of Provinces, a splendid map of Canada and views in Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto. From Port Arthur west, all of the principal towns along the lines of railway come in for their share of attention. Calgary is really splendidly illustrated. In addition to a fine photo engraving of Calgary from across the Bow River, the description of the town is illustrated by a view of Stephen Avenue and pictures of some of the leading business establishments and residences in the town. Ranching, the principal industry of Alberta, is touched upon and illustrated, one picture giving a representation of a branding, another a view of a home ranch. Banff and Mountain scenery have full justice done to them and the closing chapters are devoted to a letter press and pictorial description of British Columbia.

BIRTH.

ROULEAU — At the Convent of Belgium's residence, Calgary, January 7th, 1899, the wife of E.H. Rouleau, M. D., of a daughter.

MARRIED.

CRICK — WALKER — At Calgary on the 7th inst., by Rev. J. C. Herdman, E. H. Crick and Lizzie B. Walker, both of Calgary.

CHILD — MOORE — At St. Paul's Church, Fish Creek, on the 7th January, 1899, by the Rev. H. Gibson-Stocken, James Turner Child Esq., Architect of Calgary, to Miss Laura Moore, second daughter of Mrs. M. E. Moore, Balmain, Elbow River.

DIED.

ROCK — At Fish Creek, on January 3rd, 1899, Edna Roberts, only daughter of Christina and Edward Rock, aged 3 years, 10 months and 27 days.

Weather in the North.

The Edmonton Bulletin points out a peculiarity not generally known, but nevertheless perfectly true. Our contemporary says:—"A peculiarity of the climate of northwestern or more properly central Canada, at least from the boundary to the northern limit of the basin of the Saskatchewan, is that it varies very little throughout that area in either summer or winter temperature, or in snow fall. In eastern Canada a distance of a few miles frequently makes the difference between driving over the tops of fences in sleighs and being called to use wheels on muddy roads. In this the most northerly agricultural settlement on the continent there has not yet been enough snow for sleighing, there have been no storms and there has been little or no zero weather, and is almost equally the case over the whole extent of country mentioned. Those who know that a difference of 60 miles of latitude in Ontario makes such a serious difference of climate as it does there, cannot believe but that the 200 miles that the Saskatchewan is north of the railroad line must give it a much more severe climate in winter and more uncertain summer than the region along the line is possessed of, while in fact it is the difference, if any, is as often in favor of the Saskatchewan as against it. What the Saskatchewan does on account of higher latitude it gains on account of lower elevation and more shelter, and in many cases the gain is greater than the loss.

Art Unappreciated.

Boston, 2.—The splendid new Slater memorial museum at Norwich, Conn., which was opened with a great gathering of learned men two or three weeks ago, is intended as an exemplar of art as well as literature and learning, and in order to make it equal to any in the land, William Slater purchased in Europe a rare collection of Statuary, ancient and modern, which he designed to present to the new museum for the instruction and delight of the future as well as the present inhabitants of Norwich. Some of the people of the town, however, belong to the class which swathe pianos to hide their nakedness. There is quite a number of these prudish persons in Norwich and they snuffed the danger afar off. Indeed, they seem to have sighted the nude Apollos and Venuses before they emerged from their boxes in the custom house. Then there was an uplifting of hands and a rolling of eyeballs and the prudish set about saving Norwich from the moral pestilence which threatened. The storm they raised was too much of a success for the directors to withstand. They fell before it. The statues were quarantined, and when they were brought out and mounted on their pedestals in the museum it was seen that the chief had been plied remorselessly. Twenty five of the most perfect works of sculpture had been mutilated so that it was hardly possible to distinguish them. A more ludicrous set of casts has probably never been seen, but the old maids of Norwich have been appeased.

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